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WHITE HOUSE - GENERAL SCOWCROFT

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY AMMAN

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, U.S., JO

SUBJECT: 'ID AL-ADHA MESSAGE

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO KING HUSSEIN ON OR BEFORE THE APPROPRIATE TIME:

2. QUOTE: I TAKE PLEASURE IN CONVEYING TO YOU THE BEST WISHES OF THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES, AS WELL AS MY WARMEST PERSONAL GREETINGS, ON THE HOLY OCCASION OF 'ID AL-ADHA. I SINCERELY HOPE THAT IN THE PERIOD AHEAD OUR EFFORTS TO ENSURE THE BLESSINGS OF PEACE FOR ALL THE PEOPLES IN THE MIDDLE EAST WILL BEAR FRUIT AND THAT YOU AND YOUR PEOPLE WILL ENJOY HAPPINESS AND PROSPERITY THROUGHOUT THE COMING YEAR. WITH BEST WISHES, SINCERELY, RICHARD NIXON. UNQUOTE.

3. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO MAKE MESSAGE PUBLIC, BUT HAS NO OBJECTION IF GOJ PLANS TO DO SO.

4. DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT. KISSINGER

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